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# RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Sir

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), dated November 13, 2006, there are enclosed herewith:

- (a) Declaration executed on behalf of Christer SINDERBY, Jennifer BECK and Christer STRÖM;
- (b) A Power of Attorney on behalf of MAQUET CRITICAL CARE AB;

Our payment via Deposit Account in the amount of \$580.00 to cover the (c)

surcharge for late filing (\$130.00); two month extension of time fee (\$450.00);

(d) A copy of Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the

United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US); and

(e) A Request for Extension of Time of two months to and including March 13, 2007.

Should such request be absent, consider this such a request and authorization to

withdraw the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 as stated below.

An Assignment to MAOUET CRITICAL CARE AB and a payment of \$40,00 are being

filed online via Electronic Patent Assignment System.

If the payment is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R.

§§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an

overpayment be included, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit the appropriate fees

from or to Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No.: 50-1212/BRKP:021US.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- · Copy of the International Application filed on 04/21/2006
- . Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/21/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 04/21/2006
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 04/21/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/21/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/21/2006.
- Priority Documents filed on 04/21/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

\$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER, FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDOMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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